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Applicants : Minoru ITO, et al.
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 For : A HIGH-STRENGTH THICK STEEL PLATE EXCELLENT IN
 LOW TEMPERATURE TOUGHNESS AT HEAT AFFECTED
 ZONE RESULTING FROM LARGE HEAT INPUT WELDING

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TOTAL CLAIMS	4	minus	20	0	52.00	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1	minus	3	0	220.00	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM ADDED				0	390.00	0.00
TOTAL DUE						0.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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